

OTHER PAPERS coming to the exchange desk of The Herald afford much good reading for this editor. Maybe you would like to see what some of the other editors say:

J. L. SUITS' column, "Listening Post," in The Petersburg Journal is embellished with this additional copy: "Uncensored, with deuces running wild. We cut our timber where we find it and let the chips fall where they may."

Suits has these observations in a recent edition:

Is it true, asks an exchange, that kissing a girl can lead to loss of teeth? Definitely, especially if you kiss some one else's girl!

Newspapers do make mistakes sometimes. One that caused considerable trouble for an old country editor was when he ran a story headed "Old Eyesore Gone at Last" and used a picture in connection with the story—but in some manner the mayor's wife's picture was used with the story instead of a picture of the old livery stable that had burned down.

W. H. CURRY carries many of his opinions in his "Trends" column of The Crosbyton Review. For example:

Just in case you don't know it, we have a weather prognosticator in Crosbyton of no mean ability. During the last week of February he openly predicted a rain for Saturday, February 28—and it happened. As long ago as last Tuesday, March 3, he told this reporter that it would rain again come Sunday, March 8—and it did. Now he tells us to watch Sunday, March 15, for more rain. If he hits this one we are going to recommend Floyd Edwards to the Weather Bureau at Lubbock. They could use a good man!

AARON EDGAR uses this for copy in his "Kracker Krums" column of The Munday Times:

It's not often an editor gets any commendation for something he has published. It's not often he even receives a compliment on getting out a good paper, if he does, from his readers and friends. Rather, they seem to want to carry the editor high for mistakes he makes, the typographical errors and things that get by the editor or the proof-reader.

Like in our issue of September 8 last year, for some unexplained reason, ran a headline that the Sears Swine Show would be held in Munday on Saturday, September 31. And ever since childhood we have recited that little verse about "thirty days hath September, April, June and November."

Being the type of fellow who finds it less embarrassing not to study his paper for errors, misprints, etc., after it's printed, we hadn't noticed our swine show headline. But next day, folks began asking us just when the show would be held—what month, what year, etc. We were somewhat confused until we got back-tracked to the office and secured a paper. Reading on down in the story we found we had the date correct—Saturday, September 20—but that didn't make the headline error less conspicuous.

Reading on further down in the story we found: "The show will be under the supervision of W. C. Palmeyer, Knox County agent, and sponsored under retainer rfr rldugkm oinrdlu."

And that's why we have a distaste for pi lines in the proofs. Some of them just naturally get into print.

J. W. KING SR. shells out his opinions in his "On the Beam" column in The Mitchell County News at Loraine thusly:

Liquor manufacturers should be required to label their product "poison." Then if an individual drinks the stuff, he does so at his own risk. Alcoholics are becoming a menace to the well-being of the country. Too much drinking goes on everywhere. No one intends to become an alcoholic, but when a social drink is taken at regular intervals over a period of years, many people cannot control their appetites for it and become useless in business and industry, useless to their families and friends, outcasts of society—so why begin drinking?

Success doesn't depend so much on lying awake nights as it does staying awake days.

That new preacher oughta learn... all those coughs aren't colds... they're time signals.

Quota of Red Cross Neared at Hamlin



MRS. JOE TRUSSELL (above) of Houston, will direct a five-day study course in Training Union work beginning Sunday evening and continuing through next Friday evening at the First Baptist Church. Courses will be offered for all ages, according to Carter Lyles, TU director in the local church.

\$1,400 Raised on Goal of \$1,740 Set For Community

Hamlin people had made contributions totaling \$1,400 on the projected goal of \$1,740 for the Red Cross drive for 1953, it was reported Wednesday at noon by local Red Cross officials.

Hope that the Hamlin community will exceed its Red Cross membership quota by next Friday, April 10, closing date for the campaign, was expressed this week by W. S. Seals, drive chairman.

Seals said that several citizens of the city have reported that they have not been contacted for memberships in the drive. These failures in contact probably have been due to absence from home and other circumstances, the drive chairman pointed out. He urged that those who have not made their contributions to do so within the next several days, turning in their funds at the Farmers & Merchants National Bank, where the proper receipts and buttons will be issued.

County Chairman W. T. Johnson of Hamlin declared that the response of the entire county has been good in the campaign. He pointed to the fact that the Red Cross had appropriated \$50,000 for relief of the Haskell and Knox County tornado victims.

Two New Locations And Oil Producer In Area Spotlight

Oil activity in the Hamlin area continues at a good clip. Featured in this week's spotlight is the territory northeast of Hamlin.

Jones & Stasney et al of Albany has staked two locations in the East Hamlin field, six miles northeast of Hamlin in Jones County. Both are contracted for 3,500 feet with rotary equipment.

Jones & Stasney's No. 2-C J. G. Whaley was spotted 1,263 feet from the north and 330 feet from the east lines of Subdivision 22, Austin & Williams Survey 340.

Jones & Stasney's No. 2-K Earl and E. J. Whaley is 1,263 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of Subdivision 21, Austin & Williams Survey 340.

South Flat Top Strawn field, eight miles northeast of Hamlin in Stonewall County, gained a new oiler with the completion last week of Jones & Stasney et al of Albany No. 6 Mrs. A. L. Lewis, in Section 158, B. B. & C. Railway Company Survey. The well had a daily potential of 122 barrels of 42.3 gravity oil, flowing through a 15-64-inch choke with 515 pounds casing and 165 pounds tubing pressures. Production is from 120 perforations at 5,276-96 feet with the casing set at 5,335 feet. The well is bottomed at 5,348 feet.

DePriest Colored School Students Take District Meet Literary Division Honors

DePriest Colored School of Hamlin took top honors in the literary division of the District 21 Interscholastic League events at Stamford Saturday for Class B schools. The local children competed with entries from Colorado

City, Big Spring, Sweetwater and Stamford.

Winners from the local school in the various events were: Vinita Mayfield, senior declaiming, first place; William Henry Brown, junior declaiming, first place; Vinita Mayfield, vocal solos, first place; Vinita Mayfield, Clementine Turner, Joyce Fay Andrews and Joanne Logan, female quartet, first place; Ola Mae Douglas and Clementine Turner, senior spelling; Lewis Calvin Brown and Billy Ray Turner, junior spelling; LaVerne Ellis and Billy Ray Turner, one-act play; Earl Gardner, extemporaneous speaking; Norma Jean Ervine and Minnie Mae Brown, arithmetic.

The homemaking department from DePriest placed first. The contestants were Christine Anderson, Ada Jean Miller, Minnie Brown, Norma Jean Ervine, Vinita Mayfield and Clementine Turner.

Art contestants were Glover Miller, Ollie Ray Owens, Billy Ray Turner, Albert Douglas, Charles Gardner, Christine Anderson, Joe Sam Ervine, Barbara Nell Johnson, Arlene Logan, Barbara Janet Cork, John Reese Mayfield, Vinita Mayfield, Frankie Davis, Betty Miller, Mattie Davis, Ernestine Johnson and Vera Dean Johnson.

Ida Nell Daugherty and John F. Turner, sub-junior spellers, placed second in the meet.



ANNOUNCER for the home talent show sponsored this Friday evening at Hamlin High School auditorium by the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club of Nienda community will be Dixie Boy Jordan (above) of Radio Station KWFT, Wichita Falls.

Talent from Area To Be Featured in Program Tonight

A splendid array of talent from Hamlin and surrounding communities will be featured this (Friday) evening, beginning at 8:00 o'clock, at the Hamlin High School auditorium, under sponsorship of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club of Nienda.

Dixie Boy Jordan of Radio Station KWFT, Wichita Falls, will emcee the entire program. Besides keeping the show going at a fast clip, Dixie Boy will sing, recite poems and tell funny stories.

Area talent to be presented at the show will include numbers by Gayle Bishop, Jeanne Jones, C. C. Bailey, Vera Tidwell, Don Johnson, Margot Faye Patterson, Jack Wright, Faith Simpson, Judy Kay Ford, Rebecca Ann Ferguson, Ben Etta McCracken, Joyce Whitley, Sue Flenniken, Melba Ueckert, Shirley Nelson and others from Hamlin.

Betty Jpy McGinnis, Joe Neves, Jimmy Hole and J. Neal McGinnis of Roby; Brentz Crow, Mary Ruth Thorn, Avis Jane Mayfield, Mrs. Thorn, Joyce and Lois Andrus, Martha Cole, Durrell Jenkins, Mary Sue Lantrip, Martha Roberson and Wortham Crow Jr. of Anson.

Nienda Community Sets Easter Egg Hunt

A community Easter egg hunt for children of the Nienda section, south of Hamlin, will be staged Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, it was announced Wednesday by community leaders.

Everybody is invited. Parents of children who will participate in the hunt are asked to bring eggs a little early in order that they may be hidden for the hunt.

School Dismissed for Four Easter Holidays

Hamlin School classes were to have been dismissed yesterday (Thursday) afternoon for a four-day holiday season for Easter, it was announced this week by Superintendent I. R. Huchingson.

Classes will be resumed next Tuesday morning. This vacation will end the holiday seasons for the school year, Huchingson declared.

Little Interest Indicated In Two Elections at Hamlin

Two Trustees to Be Elected for School Board

Taxpayers of the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District, covering about 150 square miles in the Hamlin region, will name two members to the school board for the next two-year period when they go to the polls next Tuesday.

Names of Tarlton Willingham and Onis Crawford will be on the ballot that apparently developed no contest at expiration of the deadline for filing last Wednesday.

Term of Willingham expires at the close of the fiscal year, and the other vacancy on the board was caused by the resignation of Johnnie Agnew when he became county commissioner for this precinct of the county on January 1. Balloting for the entire district will be done at the Hamlin High School office. H. L. Williams will be judge, and Mrs. Brad Rowland and Mrs. C. C. Prater will act as clerks.

Hold-over members of the school board are Eddie Jay, Fred B. Moore Jr., Noel Weaver, LaFoy Patterson and Edward Dodd.

Firemen Attend Area Convention Staged at Haskell

A big delegation of members of the Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department was due to be in Haskell yesterday (Thursday) afternoon to participate in the twenty-ninth semi-annual convention of the Mid-West Texas Firemen's Association.

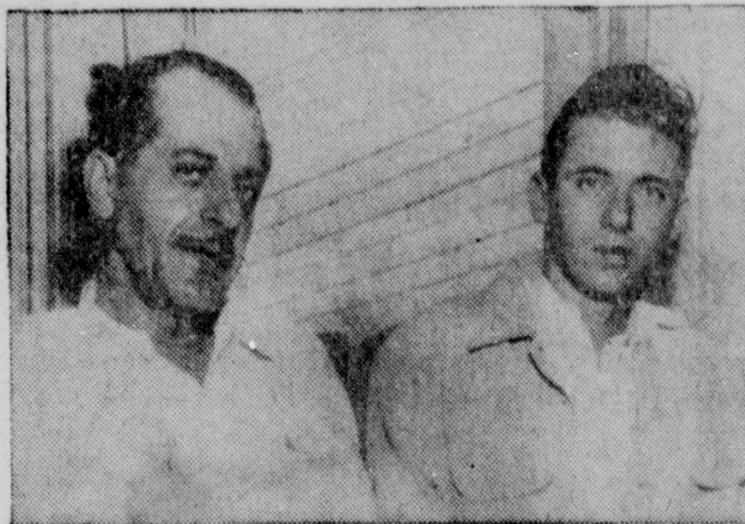
Three fire drill teams from Hamlin were due to take part in the contests staged as a feature of the mid-west meetings Thursday afternoon. Entries were to be made in the six-man hook-up, two-man hook-up and pumper races. Named to participate in these contests were Lee Hastings, Jack White, Ed Branscum, Sol Branscum, Bill Thompson, Jake Lawson, Louie Cunningham and Travis Conner.

Plans for the convention have been in the hands of the committees named several weeks ago.

Official voting delegates from the Hamlin Fire Department for the convention were Carl Young and Ed Branscum.

Jake Lawson, vice president of Mid-West Association, was slated to be named president of the area group in business sessions Thursday evening.

Registration was due to start at 10:00 o'clock Thursday morning. Following a luncheon, a business session was in order. After the races, a supper and dance were scheduled for Thursday night.



FLORIDA NABS TEXAS JAILBREAKERS—W. C. Massey (left) and 17 year old Glendale Goss, who staged a jail break at Henderson in February, were arrested in Tampa, Florida while leaving town in a rented truck filled with \$5,000 worth of new household goods bought with phony credit references.

Hamlin FFA Teams Win Honors at ACC

Twelve Hamlin High School boys representing the Future Farmers of America walked away with sweepstakes honors Monday afternoon in the annual Abilene Christian College Field Day contests!

With entries in only three of the four main events in judging, the Hamlin group racked up the highest Field Day honors from a field of 1,004 4-H Club and FFA boys entering 251 separate teams in the all-day affair.

Poultry, dairy cow and livestock judging teams from Hamlin were entered. No entries were made in the grass judging events. The boys were coached by T. C. Blankenship and Harold V. Eades, instructors of vocational agriculture at Hamlin High School.

In addition to the sweepstakes award, the Hamlin boys walked off with top honors in the poultry judging event, scoring 883 points

out of a possible 1,050. In the dairy cattle event the Hamlin group was second, scoring 1,330 points out of a possible 1,800. Joe Ray Rosenbaum was high point individual in the dairy cattle judging, making 521 points out of a possible 600. Doyle Brinegar was ninth in poultry judging, scoring 298 points out of a possible 350. In the same event Daryl Johnson of Hamlin tied with a Dawson boy for tenth with 297.5 points.

Nearly \$1,000 Given For Tornado Victims

Nearly \$1,000 had been donated by mid-week by Hamlin area citizens to the Haskell and Knox County tornado fund, according to George Malouf, Hamlin merchant who has been directing the drive for relief funds in the neighboring counties to the north.

Funds already sent to relief officials last week totaled \$721, and new contributions of the last several days totaled \$256.25, Malouf said. Of this latter amount employees and managerial personnel at the Celotex Corporation plant southwest of Hamlin gave \$215.25.

Wingate Pastor Leads In Plasterco Meeting

Rev. Woodrow McHugh, pastor of the Wingate Baptist Church, will be the evangelist in an eight-day revival meeting that begins Sunday morning at the Plasterco Baptist Church near the Celotex Corporation mill, southwest of Hamlin, according to Rev. Virgil A. Smith, pastor.

Jerry Briscoe will have charge of the song services.

Services will be conducted during the week at 7:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. The series of meetings will continue through April 12.

Dr. Hawkins Attends El Paso Heart Clinic

Dr. E. J. Hawkins, member of the staff at Hamlin Memorial Hospital, was among scores of doctors from a three-state area attending a medical clinic on heart diseases, conducted Friday and Saturday at the Cortez Hotel in El Paso.

Accompanying Dr. Hawkins to the border city were members of his family.

Sheppard to Preach In Calvary Revival

Pastor J. S. Sheppard will do the preaching in a 10-day revival opening Sunday morning at the Calvary Baptist Church, at the McCaulley highway Y in South Hamlin. Johnnie Agnew will direct the musical program of the series of services.

Services will be conducted twice daily at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., church leaders say.

Two Aldermen To Be Named in Hamlin Tuesday

Little interest is being displayed in the city election to be held next Tuesday in Hamlin that will name two aldermen to the five-member City Council.

However, citizens interested in the town's affairs were hopeful that interest would pick up before the election day. Although poll taxes paid by Hamlin residents, reflecting a similar trend all over the state in an off-year, were lower than usual, about the usual number of qualified voters were expected to express their wishes at the polls. A record number of votes were cast in last year's city election when 642 citizens cast ballots as two women were elected to the City Council.

Polls will be open from 8:00 a. m. to 6:00 p. m., and all voting will be done at the city hall.

Appearing on the ticket are the names of Arthur Hudson, who is a candidate for reelection, Louie J. Cunningham and A. Spencer. Terms of Hudson and O. D. Roland are expiring. Hold-over aldermen are J. B. Terrell Jr., Mrs. L. L. Cowan and Miss Pearl Hudson.

Officiating at the balloting will be J. E. Patterson, judge; Mrs. Brad Rowland, Mrs. C. C. Prater and Mrs. Vera Jayroe, clerks.

Jersey Cattle Club In Meeting Here Sets Date of Show

Thirty-one dairy cattlemen and others interested men and boys attended the monthly meeting of the West Texas Jersey Cattle Club meeting at the Hamlin High School cafeteria Friday evening. Nash Miers of Rotan, president of the area group, was in charge of the session. Mrs. Ray Moritz of Stamford is secretary-treasurer.

Date for the annual show of the club was set for April 20 and 21 at Abilene. A feature of the show will be the giving away of a Jersey heifer calf at a drawing during the show, winner in which does not have to be present, it was announced.

Slides of pictures of Hamlin Future Farmers of America club projects and views of the recent Jones County Club Boys' Show at Stamford were shown the group by T. C. Blankenship, Hamlin vocational agriculture instructor.

At the close of the conference, sandwiches, cake, pie and coffee were served to attendants by the Hamlin FFA boys.

Citizens Reminded of Restrictions on Water

Hamlin city officials this week were reminding citizens of the town that restrictions placed on the use of city water last May 15 because of the water shortage are still in effect.

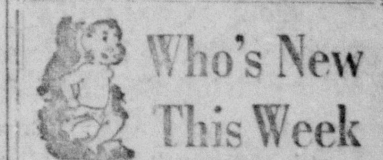
Irrigation of all types, car washing and use of evaporative coolers without recirculating pumps are still banned, city officials declare.

Present facilities for city water shipping will not permit any excess usage of water, therefore it is necessary that each citizen cooperate until the water shortage is relieved, it is pointed out.

Captain and Mrs. Brandon A. White of Columbia, South Carolina, are announcing the arrival of a son, born March 26 in a hospital at Columbia. David Brandon is the name of the youngster. Mrs. White is the former Estaline Richardson of Hamlin. Mrs. N. E. Money of Hamlin is a great-grandmother of the new-born.



SWEEPSTAKES WINNERS at Monday's Abilene Christian College's Field Day judging from a field of 1,004 West Texas boys were the Hamlin Future Farmers of America crew (above). They are: Front row (left to right), James Lain, Coach Harold V. Eades, who holds the sweepstakes plaque, Donald Johnson, Dennis Johnson, holding the plaque for first in poultry judging, and Doyle Brinegar; back row (left to right), Tommy Flinnskin, Joe Ray Rosenbaum, Marvin Johnson, Roy Server, Clifford Eoff and Dowl Johnson.



Who's New This Week

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HOW IS YOUR DRIVING TODAY?

We have all heard about the taxi driver who, when asked the secret of his record of several years of driving without an accident, said, "I always drive as though everyone else is a fool."

This anecdote may have gained publicity because of its terse wittiness rather than for its sagacity. However, upon close analysis and upon application to driving problems, the taxi man's laconic comment might prove a very wise rule for all drivers to follow.

The other afternoon, for example, while proceeding along a narrow and treacherously icy street, I noticed a driver perhaps half a block ahead, preparing to pull into traffic from his parking place parallel to the curb. Since the street was not wide enough for both of us and the other parked cars, and since I assumed he was a fool, I stopped a cautious length behind him.

However, he wasn't completely foolish because about that time, having nosed out into the street he stopped to look around leaving only fender scratching room for someone to

get past. With a look of surprised chagrin at seeing me, which more than repaid me for a few lost seconds, he drove away. This harmless incident could have had a more serious consequence had I insisted on the right-of-way by continuing at normal speed, and had the other fellow been foolish enough to pull out without looking at all, the result would have been at least crumpled fenders, broken head lamps and perhaps a damaged radiator with the consequences of perhaps minor injuries.

Not long ago the papers carried an account of a traffic death of a 10-year-old boy. This lad, whose father had taken him to school, got out of the car, ran around in front and directly in to the path of a truck coming from behind. Lads of that age are not adults and his eagerness to get across the street to the school ground made him do a foolish thing.

We submit that it should be a cardinal rule with every driver to deaccelerate and prepare to stop whenever children are seen near the street or highways.—The Lion's Tale; Marion, Iowa.

Nine Rules for Happiness

Several years ago the High School Principal's Association of the State of Washington published a set of rules on how to get along with people—and with yourself, too. Here are the nine rules, as valid today as they were then:

1. Keep skid chains on your tongue; always say less than what you think. Cultivate a low, persuasive voice.
2. Make promises sparingly and keep them faithfully, no matter what it costs you.
3. Never let an opportunity pass to say a kind and encouraging word to or about somebody. Praise good work done regardless of who did it.
4. Be interested in others; interested in their pursuits, their welfare, their homes and families. Let everyone you meet, however humble, feel that you regard him as a person of importance.
5. Be cheerful. Keep the corners of your mouth turned up. Hide your pains, worries, and disappointments under a pleasant smile.
6. Preserve an open mind on all debatable questions. Discuss, but don't argue. It is a mark of superior minds to disagree, and yet be friendly.
7. Let your virtues, if you have any, speak for themselves, and refuse to talk of another's ices.
8. Be careful of other's feelings. Wit and humor at the other fellow's expense are rarely worth the effort and may hurt where least expected.
9. Pay no attention to ill-natured remarks about you. Simply live so no one will believe them.

Inflation Is Robbery

Hundreds of years ago, despots debased their money by clipping coins or increasing the amount of alloy used in minting.

Nowadays governments do it more easily, by creating so much "credit money" or printing so many banknotes that the currency loses part of its value. That's inflation.

Our inflation has cut the 1952 dollar to 53 cents as compared with its 1939 value—a larger clip than any medieval despot would have dared to make in a 13-year period.

What with inflation and Federal taxes, you and your wife and two children were as well off with \$2,000 income in 1939 as with \$4,189 in 1952; with \$4,000 in 1939 as with \$9,118 today. You'd have to make more than a million in 1952 to get for your family the equivalent of \$100,000 in 1939.

Inflation robs you just as a medieval king robbed his people when he sat in his tower filing the edges of gold coins into dust for his private hoard.

Debt's Drain Costly

The per capita share of the interest on the national debt amounts to \$40.70 a year for every man, woman, and child in the United States. To prove it, just divide the interest—\$6,255,000,000—by the population of the country.

Planners in Washington tell us not to worry about the national debt because "we owe it to ourselves."—But money withheld from your paycheck goes to pay the interest on the debt. You never see the cash. Part of every check you mail the collector of internal revenue goes for that interest and come out of your bank balance.

In a village of 5,000 with each person paying his \$40.70 share, you and your neighbors contribute \$203,500 to the interest on the debt. In a city of 10,000, the total would be \$407,000.

Maybe, as some politicians tell us, "we never had it so good," but we find it hard to keep up our streets, schools and hospitals. It would help if we could pay to ourselves the interest on that huge debt they say "we owe to ourselves."

Editorial of the Week

THE REWARDS OF MATURITY

Recently we were leafing through a copy of Quick magazine (which someone had left in a booth at Heard & Jones) and came across a lush picture of a young would-be actress with the Hollywood name of Piper Laurie. Her comment on reaching her twenty-first birthday was almost as foolish as her celluloid name. She stated, according to Quick, that she would now be able to vote, sign her own movie contracts, and would be able to drink liquor legally in California.

One cannot help but wonder what facet of this statement so enchanted Quick that they would devote valuable space for its distribution. Maybe in some vague way they hoped to awaken us to the peculiar set of values now being made firm in the minds of our maturing generation; we mean the values that label security as the sensation of being inside the closed doors of a Cadillac, and independence as the state of living on your father's bank account.

We doubt that Quick really thought about any of these things and their relation to our generation. Nor did they think of the sophistication they imply by "drinking liquor legally in California," never realizing that true sophistication may most easily be the result of being devoid of any sophistication at all!

Knowledge, a desire for truth and experience are the rewards of adulthood. And this includes a spiritual proximity with one's God. A bouquet of bullhittles to Quick!—The Tulsa Herald.

RECALLING Other Years

☆ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home Town Newspaper, The Herald

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

The following news briefs are reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 31, 1933:

Mrs. Eunice Thompson will open a Novelty Shop and Confectionery in Hamlin Saturday.

Members of the South Hamlin Home Demonstration Club met on Wednesday with the following in attendance: Mmes. Sebastain, Allen, Beavers, Scott, Dixon, Barrett, Rosenbaum, Maberry, Greenway, Dillard, Bailey, Calloway and Wilkerson, and Misses Ruby Faye Greenway and May Dean Maberry.

Judge Marvin C. Culbertson and wife and little son, Judge Jr., of Vernon were here Friday and Saturday to visit their brother, Joe Culbertson, while their parents were here.

Mrs. Carlton Parker and children visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Magee, during the past week-end.

Dr. J. F. Taylor, mayor of Hamlin, announced a city election to name two aldermen on the City Council for Tuesday, April 4.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated April 2, 1943, are the following brief bits of news of interest:

Jones County produced 53,244 bales of cotton during 1942 according to final official reports from the Department of the Census.

More than \$944 worth of bonds and stamps were sold at the door of the high school auditorium by Mrs. Faye Atkinson and Brad Rowland, prior to the victory concert given by the students of the Elementary School Friday night—enough to buy a jeep.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Haught of Sweetwater are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Edna Haught, to Private Eugene White, last Saturday afternoon at Roby. Private White is the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. B. White of Hamlin.

Mrs. Charlie Sellers, who was taken to a hospital some three weeks ago for an operation, is reported doing well.

Humphrey Bogart and Mary Astor are starred in "The Maltese Falcon" at the Ferguson Theater.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

The following news briefs are taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated April 2, 1948:

Hamlin Memorial Hospital has run at almost capacity since the new institution was opened on February 16, reports Bowen Pope, manager.

Some 4,000 people are expected to attend the annual Jones County Singing Convention at Anson Sunday. Scores will attend from the Hamlin area.

McCauley High School juniors will present their annual play at the Mason gymnasium Friday night. Included in the cast are Howard Lawlis, Betty Lou Bell, Pauline Smart, Margaret Miller, Dixie Maberry, Gerry Rush, Paul Waldrop, Howard Faught, Maureen Bateman, Audie Merle Potts, Fay Brown and Martha Smart.

Indications are that voting will be brisk in the city election next Tuesday when a mayor and two aldermen will be elected.

Members of the Hamlin Rotary Club presented the program at the Abilene Rotary Club meeting last Friday at noon. Tate May was program chairman.

ONE YEAR AGO.

From the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 28, 1952, the following news briefs are reprinted:

Paul Galey, gasoline transport company employee, was elected post commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars at an election of the local post last week.

Two more names have been filed for places on the ballot to elect two trustees to the board of the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District. They are Fred B. Moore Jr. and Dr. W. S. Seals. Names of Noel Weaver and Dr. M. L. Smith had been previously filed.

Early returns from the county-wide balloting by farmers and ranchers indicated this week that Jones County farmers are opposed to the proposal to try to make it rain. Vote Wednesday was 140 against and 99 for the measure.

A record turn-out is expected in the city election next Tuesday when voters of Hamlin will vote on the first women candidates ever to file for city office and on the retention of parking meters in the city.

The dollar may be only six and one-half inches long, but it is used as a yardstick to measure many things.

FFA Boys' Fat Cattle Top Market at Fort Worth as Prices Steady to Strong

Future Farmers of America youths had the top fat cattle at Fort Worth markets Monday at \$23, reports Ted Goudy, special market reporter at Fort Worth in his weekly release to The Herald. The top was earned by the Burnet County FFA group and the Frisco group from Collin County. The "commercial" type of feeding project is taking hold, and we have seen better than a dozen such climaxed here this year, while a couple of years ago no more than a couple or three existed, Goudy continues.

The "commercial" feeding tests teach youngsters how to fit cattle for market instead of the showing. It teaches how to make a profit, or how to make a loss. This year has been bitter for many young folks because of adverse price trends, high feed costs and, in many cases, feeders that cost too much. These lessons, while hard, are teaching the boys and girls the facts of economics—profit and loss—and may save them from much costlier mistakes in the years ahead.

We simply cannot fail to add our bit in this matter. We think commercial feeding projects are the answer to the farm youth livestock feeding program. A tiny percentage of livestock producers in adult life fit livestock for shows. Yet every livestock producer fits cattle for market whether on grass or in the feed lot.

It seems to this writer that every town, county and district can solve the headache of show sales which in many cases were getting burdensome to merchants and local business men. It is certainly worth looking into.

Cattle were steady to strong at Fort Worth Monday. Hogs drew

25 to 50 cents higher prices, topping at \$21.25 to \$21.75. Sows sold at \$17 to \$19; pigs \$17 down. Spring lambs were steady to 50 cents lower, topping at \$23.50. Old crop shorn lambs were steady to 50 cents higher, topping at \$20. Yearlings and twos sold for \$12 to \$18. Old wethers brought \$12; old ewes \$7.50 to \$9.50; and shorn feeder lambs \$18.50 down.

Good and choice fed steers and yearlings cashed at \$19 to \$23, and lower grades at \$13 to \$19. Fat cows brought \$12.50 to \$14.50, a few higher; canners and cutters \$9 to \$12.50; bulls \$12 to \$18. Good and choice fat calves sold for \$19 to \$23; common and medium kinds at \$13 to \$19; culled at \$10 to \$13; stocker calves \$15 to \$23.25; stocker yearlings \$22.50 down; and stocker cows \$12 to \$22.

Good Crowds Attend Revival at Sylvester

Good crowds are attending the annual spring revival now underway at Sylvester Baptist Church, reports Rev. John Cundieff, pastor.

Rev. Charlie Cluck is doing the preaching in the series of services each evening at 8:00 o'clock that opened Sunday and will continue through Sunday evening, April 5.

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Girls Volley Ball Teams Lose Tilts to Merkel Teams Friday

Girls of the volley ball team of Hamlin High School went to Merkel High School Friday night for their first games of the season.

The A team, composed of Ella Mae Turner, Vivian Beck, Melba Ueckert, Ava Beatty, Kay Holder, and Patricia Stuart, beat Merkel the first game 15 to 5, but lost the next two to Merkel 5 to 15 and 12 to 15. High pointer for Hamlin was Melba Ueckert with nine, followed by teammate Kay Holder with eight points.

The B team won one and lost two to Merkel. Clarice Brown and Melba Carlton tied for high point honors with five each.

The volley ball girls play Roby April 10 at Roscoe in the first round play-off for district honors.

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Earthen Dams in Area To Provide Water

Bill Stem and Garth McCallum of the Soil Conservation Service staked an earthen dam for livestock water on the Joe Nowlin farm east of Stamford.

An earthen dam on the Mary R. S. Schroeder farm, east of Sagerton, has been completed and has already caught five feet of water, reports the California Creek Soil Conservation District office.

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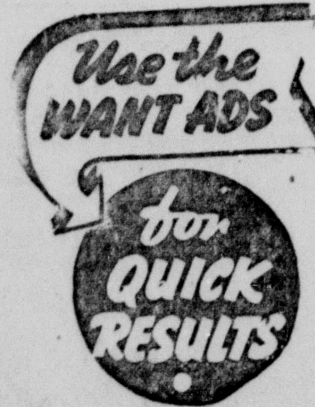
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Congressman Burleson Submits Annual Questionnaire to Constituents of Area

The questionnaire which Congressman Omar Burleson of Anson sends out each year to the people of the 17th District is now being submitted to people of the area, announces the congressman in his weekly release to The Herald.

Since I have been in Congress I have sought the opinions of those whom I represent in order that I may reflect as best I can their wishes and desires, Burleson writes.

He continues: This year I am submitting 11 questions on which the Congress may take action during this session. Of course, there are many more issues which could be listed, and those who receive them are certainly not limited to these 11.

The questions submitted are those which can more nearly be answered with a yes or a no, although qualifying comments are requested, if the voter feels it to be required to express his views.

It should be remembered that a bill, in the complicated process of being considered in the Congress, can be amended in many ways before its final passage. In some cases, a bill can be changed beyond recognition between its start and its finish. This is the reason why it is many times difficult to say whether you are for or against a measure when it is introduced, but we can express ourselves on its intent and purpose.

There are several reasons for my submitting the questionnaire. First, I like to have the thinking of the people whom I represent. Second, it makes us aware and acquaints us with some of the more prominent problems to be

facied by Congress. Third, it provokes thought in matters of government, and I hope creates a greater interest on the part of everyone. It is every citizen's responsibility to be interested in the affairs of his government, and this is one way to give everyone a more direct voice in what is done.

It is my hope that everyone receiving my questionnaire will fill it out and return it to me. As they are received, I will study each one personally and have the results tabulated. The results will be given to The Herald. Let me assure everyone that your views will be valued and respected in the discharge of my responsibility in the Congress of the United States.

It is impossible to place the questionnaire in the hands of each individual, and I am bound to miss someone. It is not intentional, and for those who do not receive one, I shall ask this newspaper to retain several copies for the use of those who may wish to call for one.

April 9 is the deadline for filing prisoner-of-war claims under Public Law 303. Funds for this purpose come from enemy assets in the hands of our government. All communications should be addressed to War Claims Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

In a discussion of taxes the other day, a United States senator observed that the subject of taxes was like bringing up the subject of rope in the home of a man who had just been hanged.

In the same discussion, we were reminded of the old boy who said that if Patrick Henry got so riled up about "taxation without representation," how would he have



STEER GETS HOTEL'S LUXURY TREATMENT (BRIEFLY)—W. J. (Bill) Reidy (left), manager of Lubbock's Caprock Hotel, paid \$1.32 1/2 a pound for this steer at the 20th Annual South Plains Junior Fat Stock Show, so cannot be blamed much for bringing it into the hotel lobby where Superintendent of Service Oliver Drake offered ice water. But by now the grand champion steer is in the dining room—as choice steaks and beef roasts.

McCaulley Junior Boys, Roby Girls Take Cage Honors

McCaulley junior boys and Roby junior girls took top honors in the Fisher County 4-H Club basketball tournament last Saturday at Mason gymnasium.

Results of the various games in the tourney follow:

Junior Boys — Rotan defeated Hobbs 14 to 10; McCaulley defeated Roby 10 to 6; McCaulley beat Sylvester 28 to 6; McCaulley trimmed Rotan 7 to 2.

Junior Girls — Hobbs defeated McCaulley 7 to 3; Roby defeated Hobbs 12 to 9.

Senior Boys — Rotan defeated Roby 20 to 8; Sylvester trimmed McCaulley 24 to 10; Hobbs beat Sylvester 19 to 11; Sylvester beat Hobbs 16 to 13. In an exhibition game the McCaulley senior boys defeated Hobbs 16 to 8.

Senior Girls — Roby defeated Roby 26 to 6; Robbs defeated Rotan 9 to 8; and Hobbs trimmed Roby 20 to 16.

Members of the first place winning junior boys' team from McCaulley were Jerrell Davis, Lowell Sipes, Billy Jack Perryman, Larry McElyea and Jerry Glenn Jeffrey.

Dorothy Ann Pope and Lowell Sides of McCaulley were presented sportsmanship ribbons.

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felt about the taxation we have "with representation?"

It is the present plan for Congress to recess for 10 days beginning April 3. If I find that I can spend as much as two weeks visiting in my district during this period, without missing important legislation, it is my intent to do so.

Mrs. Joe Trussell to Direct Training Union Courses for Baptists

Mrs. Joe Trussell of Houston, wife of a well known evangelistic singer who has directed musical programs throughout the state of Texas in Baptist Churches, will be director of a five-night study course in Training Union texts at the First Baptist Church beginning Sunday evening, according to Carter Lyles, Training Union director for the church.

The courses will continue each evening at 7:30 o'clock through next Friday night. Courses will be offered for all ages, Lyles says. More than 100 members of the church had signed pledges to attend the courses he reports.

Mrs. Trussell will teach adults; Rev. Miles B. Hays, pastor, will teach young people; Mrs. Tate May will direct the intermediates; Mrs. Ted Russell will teach the juniors; Mrs. Chuck Abbott, Mrs. Thomas Ferguson and Mrs. John Walton will lead the primaries; and Mrs. Carter Lyles will direct work for the beginners.

Social Security Man To Be in Stamford

Ralph T. Fisher, representative of the social security office in Abilene, will be at the post office at Stamford at 10:00 a. m. on Friday, April 10.

Persons wishing advice or assistance in connection with their social security accounts are invited to call at that time.

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P-TA Meeting to Hear Address by Senior

People of the Hamlin School District were being reminded again this week of the monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association scheduled next Thursday afternoon, April 9, at the Primary School building. The meeting was postponed from the previously announced April 2 date because of conflicts with another program, according to Mrs. E. J. Hawkins, president.

"It's Good to Be in America" will be the topic of a talk by a high school senior. An entertainment program will be arranged by students of the second grades.

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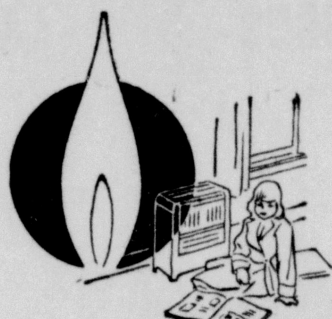
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The Herald's Page for Women



Hamlin's Fifty-Two Study Club Wins Honors at District Federation Meet

Hamlin's Fifty-Two Study Club was given special recognition last week when the annual convention of District 1 of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs was held at the Baker Hotel in Mineral Wells. Awards and honorable mentions were accorded the newly

organized group in several divisions during the three-day confab. Aside from these awards, the club also was recognized for being the youngest club in the district federation, and was presented a box of candy by TFWC officials.

In the six months of active federation work this club had two members on the board for the district—Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr., chairman of the letter writing department and Mrs. W. F. Martin Jr., chairman of the penny art fund. Both made good reports in their departments. Mrs. Martin was also there as a delegate for the club, and won second place for her oral report given on the club's activities, and was presented a \$5 check by Mrs. L. McCloud, public speaking consultant.

In the department of public affairs honorable mention was given to the youth conservation program. Mrs. J. L. Woodson, chairman of the Americanism department, gave first place to the report sent in by the club's chairman, Mrs. Gerald Young.

Mrs. Paul Donald, chairman of art, accorded honorable mention to the club chairman, Mrs. Bob Nunley, for Texas music and Texas composers.

Mrs. W. F. Martin Jr. was pleased to give her own club recognition for giving second highest in money to the penny art fund, a total of \$525.

In the education division Mrs. John Dever gave recognition to the club on their work toward getting a library.

At the American home department luncheon, sponsored by the Twentieth Century Club of Weatherford, Mrs. Vernon Townsend was present to receive three awards, a \$5 check in mothercraft, a book of poetry in family living, and first place for the best report. Mrs. Townsend also decorated a table for Jane Adams of Hull House fame. It was one of six decorated tables on display at the closing luncheon Wednesday.

Other awards received were a certificate for being 100 per cent subscriber to Texas Club Woman magazine, and a blue ribbon for a 100 per cent scorecard which covered many activities not mentioned before.

Mrs. S. Duane Bruce, wife of the pastor of the First Methodist Church, underwent major surgery Tuesday at the Sweetwater Hospital. She is reported doing good.

Beta Theta Chapter Plans for Initiation Ceremonies April 30

Plans were made for the formal initiation ceremonies of the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi when members of the group met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. E. C. Ferguson Jr. for a regular business meeting.

Ceremonies of this club year's pledges and for the annual Founder's Day banquet will be conducted April 30, it was decided.

Mrs. Louie Mac Hardy gave an interesting program on "Drama." She included in her discussion the development of drama and the modernization of it.

Books were brought to the meeting to be given to the colored school library. A white elephant sale was held among the members present. Proceeds of the sale were put into the club treasury.

Mrs. Ferguson served pineapple ice box cake and iced tea to the following members and pledges: Mmes. Jim Ballard, John C. Bryant, Weldon Carlton, Bill Feagan, Wayland Fuqua, Louie Mac Hardy, C. L. Howard, W. T. Johnson, Wesley Nail, Bob Nunley, George Poe, Clifford Reynolds Jr., M. L. Smith, Jerry Waggoner, C. Weldon Griggs, Austin Poe and Miss Billie Jo Parrish.

Next meeting of the sorority will be April 9 in the home of Mrs. C. L. Howard.

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With the coming of spring many Hamlin area people are turning their thoughts to the brightening up of their homes, and one of the section's leading color experts is ready to lend a helping and advising hand.

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Woman's Literary Club Sponsoring New Homes Pilgrimage Next Tuesday

Several new homes in Hamlin will be visited by Hamlin area people next Tuesday afternoon and evening when members of the Woman's Literary Club sponsor a new homes pilgrimage.

The tour will begin at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jay, 320 Northwest Avenue B in Hamlin; continuing, the pilgrimage will visit the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carmichael, 43 Northwest Avenue A; Mr. and Mrs. Holly Toler, 514 West Lake Drive; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Terrell Sr., 845 West Lake Drive; and Mr. and Mrs. Art Carmichael, 615 Northwest First Street.

A feature of the pilgrimage will be a display of the art works of Billie Jo Parrish, Hamlin High School instructor, at the Toler home.

Refreshments will be served at the end of the tour at the Art Carmichael home.

Members of the Woman's Literary Club will assist the home owners in reception of guests and

Three Hamlin Women Attend Club Breakfast

Three Hamlin club women were among the scores of area women who attended the annual Mexican breakfast of the Pierian Club of Stamford Saturday morning at Stamford High School.

The trio—Mmes. Jack Richey, Ned Moore and W. F. Martin Jr.—were guests of Eudora Hawkins of Abilene.

Among distinguished guests at the social function were Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene, vice president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, and Mrs. H. L. Boren, also of Abilene, president of District 6 of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

conducting the groups through the new homes.

The pilgrimage will start at 4:00 o'clock and continue until 6:30. An admission charge of 50 cents will be made for the pilgrimage, proceeds from which will be used for club projects, declare officials of the Woman's Literary Club.

Nina M. Bryson and Douglas Jones Wed

Nina Marie Bryson and Douglas James Jones were married at Lovington, New Mexico, last Thursday. She is the daughter of Mrs. Luke Bryson of Hamlin. Mrs. Jones was reared at Hamlin and attended school here. For some time she was employed at Reynolds Drug.

Douglas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jones of Stephenville. He attended the schools of Stephenville, and is employed by the Gardner Brothers Drilling Contractors of Odessa.

The newlyweds are making their home for the present at Ozona.

Fidelis Class Hears Reports of Officers

Reports of the various class officers were heard when members of the Fidelis Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday evening, February 26, in the home of Mrs. M. H. Bond. Mrs. Virgil Steele was co-hostess for the gathering.

Mrs. Steele, president, presided for a business session.

Mrs. Etta Stephenson, guest of the class, presented the devotional for the day.

During the social hour Mrs. R. C. Richey conducted a quiz. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Friendship Group Hears Demonstration On Chicken Barbecue

Mrs. Sol Branscum have a financial report of the club and Mrs. J. E. Johnson gave a council report when members of the Friendship Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon at the oil mill guest house. Hostesses were Mrs. John Hix and Mrs. G. Witt.

After the business session, Mrs. T. W. Flenniken gave a demonstration on "Bert's Smoky Barbecue Chicken." Mrs. Jap Beck gave a demonstration on "Lemon Barbecued Skillet Chicken."

Barbecued chicken, pie and coffee were served to Mmes. Ray Johnson, LaFoy Patterson, H. E. Brown, Roy Brown, James Brown, Sol Branscum, Ed Branscum, Bert Fomby, T. W. Flenniken, Harry Gardner, J. E. Johnson, M. S. Johnson, R. S. Johnson, June Jones, Ed Rodgers, Cecil Brown, Grady Smith, H. S. Stovall and the hostesses, members; and Mrs. Wood Smith, a visitor.

Mrs. W. T. Stapler underwent major surgery Friday in an Abilene hospital. Her condition is reported good. She is the wife of W. T. Stapler of Hamlin, who is attending McMurry College.

Mary Ann McCollum To Wed Canyon Man

Mr. and Mrs. Levi McCollum of McCaulley are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Ann, to Rev. Jim T. Pickens, son of Rev. and Mrs. Finis R. Pickens of Plains.

Miss McCollum, who is teaching in the Corpus Christi school system, was graduated from McMurry College in 1948 and from the University of Texas in 1951. Rev. Pickens graduated from McMurry College in 1948 and from Perkins School of Theology at Southern Methodist University, Dallas, in 1952. He is now director of the Methodist Student Center at Canyon.

The wedding will take place in July.

Anton Hansen, former resident of Hamlin who now lives at Carrazo Springs, in the Winter Garden district south of Uvalde, was visiting with relatives and friends in the Hamlin community. Hansen is raising oranges at Carrazo Springs.

Mrs. M. Y. Wilson is in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abilene, where she underwent major surgery Tuesday. Late report is that she is doing nicely.

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Young People of North Central Church Enjoy Fellowship

Young people of the North Central Avenue Baptist Church met in youth fellowship Sunday evening after church services at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carey.

After an old-fashioned singing around the piano there was prayer for the revival, beginning April 24 at the Central Avenue church. Cakes and cookies were then served by Mrs. Carey to Faye Waggoner, Charlene Smith, Shirley Nelson, Jerry Lee, Wanda Lee, Joyce Cooper, Kenneth Carey, Melvin Hunt, Walter Willis, Garnet Waggoner, Jerry Warnell, Delbert Smith and Robert Rhott Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carey, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rhott, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Warnell, Mrs. Melvin Waggoner, Mrs. Ruth Williams, Dan M. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Frank.

Katy Carloadings for Week Run Below 1952

Local carloadings for Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railway Lines for the week ending March 20, 1953, were 4,837 compared with 5,040 for the corresponding week last year. Received from connections for the week were 4,665 cars compared with 4,519 cars for the same week in 1952.

Katy had moved a total of 105,964 cars for the year to date compared with 107,607 cars for the same period a year ago.

Ruth S. S. Class of North Central Baptist Church in Social

Members of the Ruth Sunday School Class of the North Central Avenue Baptist Church met in monthly business and social meeting Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Harold Lee.

Mrs. Lee, class president, called the meeting to order. Rev. Dan Williams, pastor, led in prayer. Mrs. Grace Owens read the minutes. The class voted to change its meeting date to the first Tuesday of every month at 3:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Ruth Williams, teacher of the group, challenged the class to have the entire enrollment present Easter Sunday. Mrs. A. G. Anderson led the closing prayer. Pastor Williams brought the devotional from Philippians.

Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Williams served soft drinks and cookies to the following: Mmes. A. G. Anderson, Henry Plemmons, Grace Owens, Dave Putnam, V. Madden, Harold Lee, Ruth Williams and M. E. Waggoner and guests, Rev. Dan Williams and Ronnie Lee.

Plans Being Made for Junior-Senior Banquet

Hamlin High School juniors and seniors are making elaborate arrangements for the annual highlight of the school's social season, the junior-senior banquet.

Mrs. Holly Toler will be in general charge of the affair, which will be staged the evening of Friday, April 24, in the Primary School cafeteria.

Civil Defense Topic For Fifty-Two Club Meeting March 20

A civil defense program featured the March 20 meeting of the Fifty-Two Study Club in the home of Mrs. S. C. Ferguson Jr. Mrs. J. B. Terrell Jr. was co-hostess.

Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr. acted as program director and spoke on the subject "Can Your Town Be Bomb Proofed?" She urged the members to practice such safety measures that they already know, but sometimes are careless about.

"National Defense Program for the Future" was the subject of Mrs. W. S. Seals.

Mrs. Charles N. Wade was appointed acting secretary for the day in the absence of Mrs. Gene Westmoreland, regular secretary.

At the close of the program for the day, individually wrapped presents were presented to Mrs. Earl Smith, to be opened one a day.

A lovely arrangement of Japonica centered the large round coffee table in the Ferguson living room. A congealed strawberry pie and coffee were served to the guests as they arrived.

Mrs. Bob Nunley, special chairman, announced that the Fifty-Two Study Club will present the Choral Club of DePriest Colored School in a program at the high school auditorium next Friday, April 10, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. Donations will be taken at the door, and proceeds will be used to purchase robes for the group. The public is invited.

Alatheaan Class Members Stage Parade Of Novel Easter Hats

Each attended modeled her Easter hat when members of the Alatheaan Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church staged their Easter hat parade Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Irby Weaver. Mrs. Buddy Watson was co-hostess.

There were hats made of hot-pad holders, records, coffee cans, skillets, cereal boxes, Easter baskets, etc. Mrs. Frank Maxwell won the prize for the most original, and Mrs. Edward Gardner the award for the prettiest hat. Pictures were made of the group in their creations.

Games were played, and all reported a swell time. Ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mmes. Cecil Brown, Leslie Shelburne, Frank Maxwell, Pinky Fitzgerald, T. W. Fleniken, Tom Nall, Edward Gardner, Delbert Rountree, Grady Smith, Buddy Watson and Irby Weaver.

Mrs. Lewis Bailey Dies Monday in Hospital at Rotan

Final rites for Mrs. Lewis Bailey, wife of a well known farmer of the Hamlin section, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Dan Jones, Church of the Nazarene minister of Rotan, and Rev. Miles B. Hays, pastor of the Hamlin First Baptist Church, officiated.

Interment was in the McCauley Cemetery under direction of Barrow Funeral Home of Hamlin.

Mrs. Bailey died in the Callan Hospital at Rotan Monday evening at 6:15. She had been in ill health for several months and had been in the hospital since last December.

Born February 13, 1906, Mrs. Bailey had moved to this section with her family when she was a girl. She had resided in Fisher and Jones Counties most of her life.

Surviving are her husband; a step-son, Carl Bailey of Haskell; three step-daughters, Mrs. Opal Smith of McCauley, Mrs. Pauline McCoy of Stanton and Mrs. Leota Kubin of Lubbock; two sisters, Mrs. Allie Groves of Roswell, New Mexico, and Mrs. Ruby Coor of Welch; and three brothers, W. C. Lee of McCauley, O. R. Lee of Hamlin and Roy Lee of Midland.

Eight High School Boxers Given Letters

The Hamlin Pied Piper Boxing team ended a very good year in boxing last week when they went to Fort Worth to attend the Pee-Wee tournament held there. They won the team trophy, taking five out of five matches.

Coach Don McLaughlin has announced the following lettermen for the 1952-53 season: Richie Smith, Dudley Griggs, George Deel, Roy Williams, Allen Leonard, Lane Fletcher and Co-Captains Billy and Kenneth Kelly.

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Five Hamlin Women Attend District Club Federation Confab

"Club women should be alert to the trends toward socialism in various fields of American life," declared Mrs. Van Hooks Stubbs of Wortham, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, told members of the First District federation at the opening session of the fifty-first annual convention in the Baker Hotel at Mineral Wells Monday. Attending the convention were five Hamlin club women.

The state president paid special attention to the question of education. "We must continue to keep the education of our youth under state and local control," she said. "Freedom of education is the pre-condition of all other freedoms. Public schools have enjoyed confidence because they were free of propaganda and politics. We must remember when we may be tempted to accept subsidies from the federal government for schools in the decisions of the Supreme Court in 1942 that 'the government has the right to regulate that which it subsidizes'."

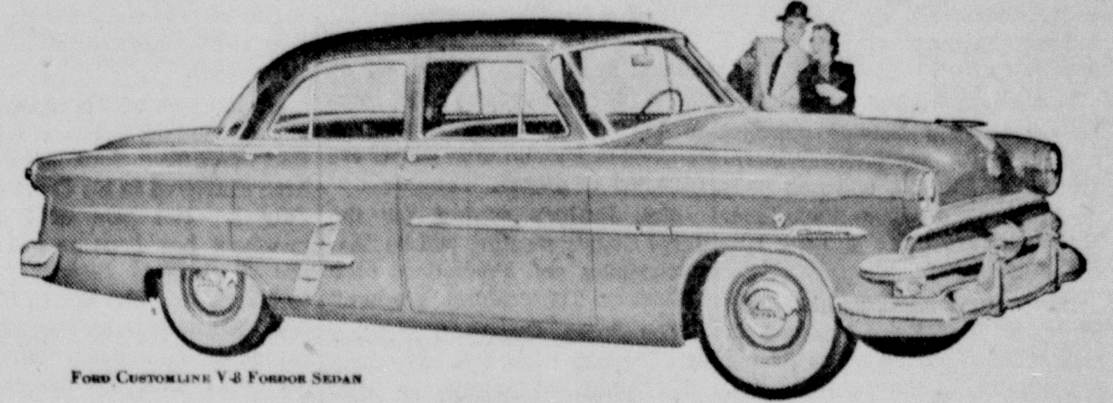
Lillie V. Lillard of Stephenville, president of the First District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, gave special attention on Tuesday evening to the atomic age in her inspirational address, "A New World Being Born."

Attending the convention from Hamlin were Mmes. Wilson Brannon, Vernon Townsend, Fred B. Moore Jr., Bob Nunley and W. F. Martin Jr.

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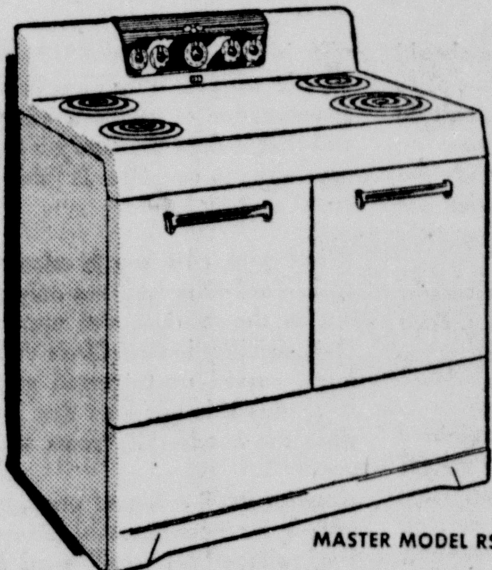
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Condition of Car Wreck Victim at Hospital Critical

Condition of C. R. Howe, operator of the Bus Drive-In diagonally across the street from The Herald, remained critical Wednesday, reports from the Hamlin Memorial Hospital revealed. He had been under an oxygen tent Wednesday following a heart attack suffered Tuesday night.

Howe was injured in an automobile accident Sunday morning a week ago at the highway intersection at Tuxedo, and had been in the hospital since that time. He sustained three broken ribs and other injuries.

W. C. Carlton, 75, and his wife, 69, were the others involved in the collision of two cars during a sandstorm at the crossing. Mr. Carlton sustained three fractured vertebrae and a brain concussion, and his wife suffered shock and bruises. They were taken to a Stamford hospital for treatment. Mrs. Carlton was released last week-end.

The accident occurred about 9:45 a. m. Sunday as the Carltons were en route to Sunday School at the Tuxedo Baptist Church. Howe was traveling from Hamlin toward Stamford. The cars collided at the intersection as the drivers were blinded by a sandstorm that was raging.

HAMLIN V.F.W. POST NO. 6014

V. F. W. Head Meets at quarters on the First and Third Tuesday Nights at 8:00 o'clock.

Wichita Falls Woman To Speak at County TB Association Meet

Announcement was made this week by Joe Breed of Anson, president of the Jones County Tuberculosis Association, that Mrs. Joella Terrill Butler, president of the Wichita County Tuberculosis Association and past vice president of the board of directors of the Texas Tuberculosis Association, will be guest speaker at the Jones County TB Association's annual meeting at 7:30 p. m. on April 14 in the district court room of the courthouse at Anson. A number of Hamlin area people are expected to attend.

Mrs. Butler's subject for the Jones County meeting will be "Reminiscences and Predictions of a Volunteer Tuberculosis Worker."

The Jones County association was organized last fall. Members of the official family are Mrs. E. M. Wilson, Wesley Nail and Lennie Greenway of Hamlin.

Central Church RAs Plan Overnight Camp

Counselor Dan Williams led in the study of the plan of salvation when members of the Royal Ambassadors of the North Central Avenue Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon at the church.

Tommy Perkins, ambassador chief, led in the singing of "The King's Business," and Jerry Narrell led in prayer.

A ball game followed the study. Then Melvin Hunt and Rev. Williams served drinks to 28 boys. An overnight camping trip to Camp Lueders is planned for the near future, the leader announced.

Huchingson's 2-E District May Lead In Lions Growth

Hamlin Lions Club learned at its Tuesday noon luncheon meeting at the oil mill guest house that District Governor I. R. Huchingson's District 2-E may be one of the leading districts in organization of new clubs for the fiscal year ending June 30 for Lions International.

Huchingson, who is superintendent of Hamlin Schools, reported that seven new clubs had already been chartered in his district since July 1. Net gain of 579 new members has been recorded for the 76 clubs of District 2-E up to March 1. Lake Worth Club of Fort Worth led the international parade during January with a 202 per cent gain in membership.

J. B. Jones of Hinton, Oklahoma, explained a new planting seed process which he has developed that controls insects on the plants after they are in their growing stage.

Jones declared that the Department of Agriculture has been testing his process for several years, and he expects that government agency to approve his development shortly. He declared that the treating service is proving its value on cotton and wheat planting seed.

Several Hamlin area growers are planning to use cottonseed treated by Jones this spring. A separate story on this project is found on page one of today's Herald.

Ballots for naming new officers for Hamlin Lions Club for the year beginning July 1 were received at the meeting. Results of the election will be announced at next week's meeting of the club.

Besides Jones, other guests at the Tuesday luncheon were Sheriff Dave Reves and Joe Breed of Anson.

Cafeteria Staffers to Attend Rotan Session

Several members of the staff of the three cafeterias operated by Hamlin schools will attend a monthly conference of members of the Tri-County Lunch Room Association Monday evening at Rotan High School, according to B. V. Newberry, high school principal, who is general director for the Hamlin lunchrooms.

Representatives from schools in Jones, Fisher and Stonewall Counties will attend the Rotan gathering, which will open with a luncheon in the Rotan High School cafeteria at 6:30. A program featuring discussion of lunchroom problems will follow the luncheon.

Special Holy Week Services Continuing

Holy Week services that began Wednesday evening at the First Methodist Church under leadership of Rev. S. Duane Bruce, pastor, and Rev. W. C. Emberton, pastor of the Church of Nazarene, continue through this (Friday) evening. "The Will of God" will be the topic for Friday evening's gathering.

Easter Sunday services will climax the services Sunday at the Methodist Church. Sunday morning Rev. Bruce will speak on "He Lives." An Easter cantata will be presented by the choir at the evening services.

High School Tennis Teams Play at Meet

Members of the tennis team of Hamlin High School will go to Sweetwater April 7 for the district play-off. Those making the trip will be Justin Rowland, Kenneth Kelly, Kevon Rodgers, Pat Fleckenstein, Louella Brigham, Atha Lea Grice and Sammie Cavitt.

Justin and Kenneth play doubles, while Kevon Rodgers will play for the singles crown. Louella and Pat will play doubles, and Sammie Cavitt will play singles in the girls' division.—H. H. S. Pied Piper.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Nelson and daughter, Marjorie, of Midland returned home last week after attending the funeral of Mrs. Nelson's father, M. C. Wilson. Mrs. Wilson left Sunday for Midland to visit with her children and granddaughter, the Nelsons.

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Ira C. Cavitt, 72, Retired Farmer, Dies of Attack

Funeral services for Ira C. Cavitt, 72-year-old retired farmer, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at the Hamlin Church of Christ. Warder K. Novak, minister, officiated.

Interment was in the Paint Creek Cemetery, 15 miles northeast of Stamford, under direction of Barrow Funeral Home.

Cavitt died of a heart attack Sunday night at the home of a son. His death was discovered by members of the family about 11:30 p. m. Sunday. He had been in bad health for some time.

Born July 3, 1880, he had moved to the Leuders community, where he had farmed. Mrs. Cavitt died there in 1934. He had moved to Hamlin in 1946.

Survivors include a daughter, Alma Cavitt of Andrews; two sons, Cory Cavitt of Midland and Lester Cavitt of Hamlin; two brothers, Joe Cavitt of Coleman and Tine Cavitt of De Leon; one sister, Mrs. Buck Howard of Brownfield; and six grandchildren.

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Mrs. Inez McCoy and Mrs. Fayrene Weaver gave a demonstration on barbecuing chicken when members of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday evening at the community center at Nienda, with Mrs. Alice Westmoreland and Mrs. Lena Brown as hostesses.

The club meeting was opened with a song, followed by a game.

Refreshments of potato salad, hot rolls and chicken were served to the following members: Mmes. Mildred Weaver, Lila Weaver, Oleta Hodnett, Inez McCoy, Verlon Hodges, Doris Westmoreland, Viva Joiner, Tressia Williams, Ruby Scarborough, Clara Scott, Adella Kelly, Linda Williams, Fayrene Weaver and the hostesses.

Next meeting of the Good Neighbor Club will be Tuesday, April 14, with Mrs. Clara Scott and Mrs. Winnie Ueckert as hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy M. Wilson and daughter, Cynthia Ann, returned to Roanoke, Virginia, last Wednesday after attending the funeral of Guy's father, M. C. Wilson.

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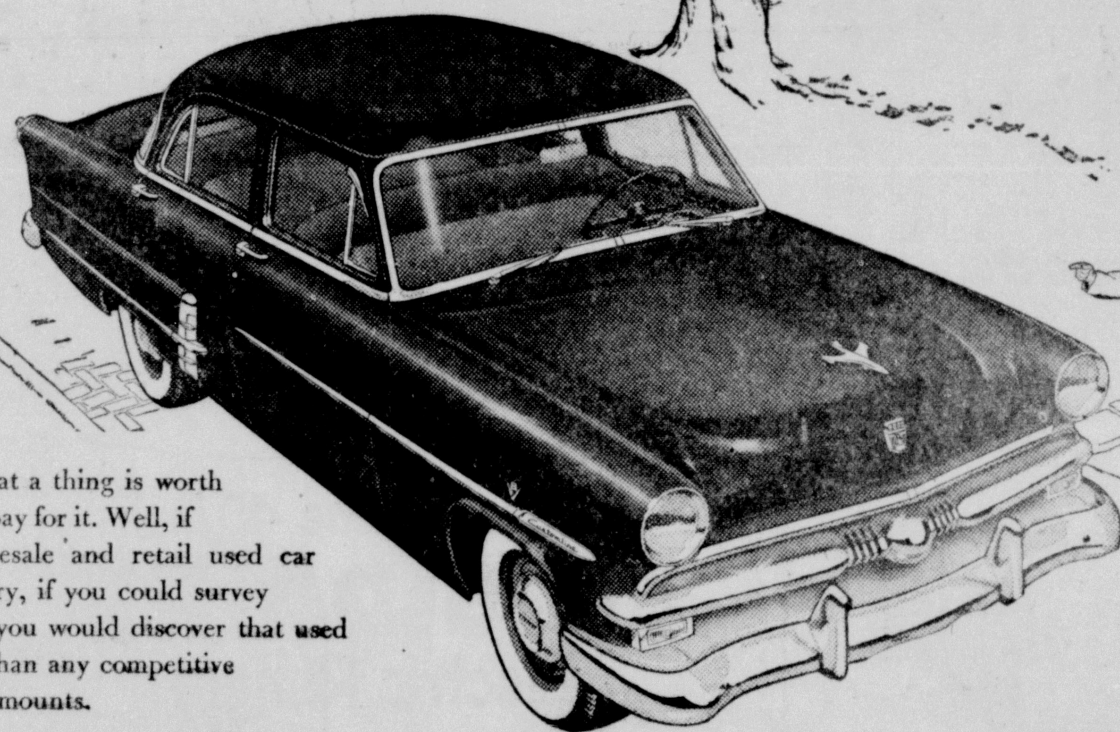
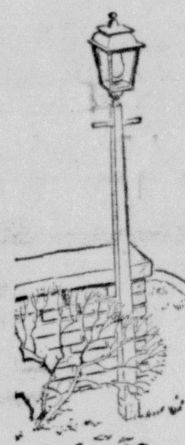
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McCAULLEY COMMUNITY NEWS

By RUBY PERRYMAN

Five McCauley 4-H Club girls won prizes in the Fisher County 4-H Club Show last Friday. Winners were Frances Hill, Carolyn Hicks and Melba Smart, second places; Wanda Smart and Sue Sipes, third places. Fayma Downey modeled her dress. All girls received entry prizes.

McCauley junior boys won first place in the 4-H Club basketball tournament held for area schools March 28. A more complete story prepared by this correspondent will be found in another column of today's Herald.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Faught were Rev. Bill Hamilton, Wilma Davis, Bob Fredrick, Margaret and Muriel Davis. Zoan Current spent the week-end with Joan Ensminger.

Rev. Burnham Campbell will fill the pulpit at the McCauley Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Wishert visited with their daughters and their families at Kermit the past week.

McCauley High School tennis players shared District 17-B honors with Lorraine High School players in district contests held last week-end at Sweetwater. In the junior division Julius Decker won the boys' singles; Don Alexander

and Cecil Kiser won second in the boys' doubles; Joy Lawlis took first in the girls' singles; Carol Hennington and Martha Young placed second in the girls' doubles. In the senior division, Calvin Faught won second in the boys' singles; John Ed Faught and Milton Carter took second in the boys' doubles; Palma Lawlis won first in the girls' singles; and Pat Rector and Jean Kean placed first in the girls' doubles.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gruben and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gibson visited relatives at Lubbock and Shallowater over the week-end.

Margaret and Muriel Davis spent the week-end at Abilene with Wilma Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Crowley spent Sunday at Abilene with their daughters and families.

Fisher County Singing Convention will be held at the Royston Church on April 12.

Candlelight Easter services will be conducted at the McCauley Methodist Church Thursday evening. Preaching services will continue through the week-end each evening. Rev. Louder and two visiting preachers will deliver the messages.

Hamlin Students' Art Work Given Federation Awards

Art work of three Hamlin High School students was awarded the three top prizes in the high school section in district competition last week-end at the annual meeting of District 6 of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, meeting at Mineral Wells.

Sponsored by the recently organized Fifty-Two Study Club, the students' entries had already won the top awards in the locally conducted contests at Hamlin.

Mrs. Paul Donald of Bowie, art chairman, gave ribbons in the high school division to: Dwayne Rogers, first; Margaret LaBaume, second; and Marylee Roland, third.

"The Fifty-Two Study Club is proud of their choice of winners," declared Mrs. W. F. Martin Jr., second vice president of the Fifty-two Study Club and district chairman of the penny art division. "It is the solicited desire of the Hamlin club to have all students interested in art or talented in art to start this summer working on their entries for the next contest. It is our desire to try and carry this contest over into the junior high school next spring. You will be notified in due time," said stated.

Committee to Name Officers of H. H. S. Homemaking Group

A nominating committee for the 1953-54 officers was named when the Future Homemakers of America of Hamlin High School met on Tuesday evening, March 24, in a regular session. Allene Reynolds, chapter president, presided at the meeting.

A skit, "Reaching for a Star," was given by Toby Sellers, Quata Miller, Alta Lois Rodgers, Linda Wallace, Peggy Briscoe, Shirley Nelson and Eytzel Denton. The skit told of the many different phases of work girls could choose for their careers.

The nominating committee appointed by the president consists of Maxine Crawford, Betty Sue Amerson, Martha Hubbard, Joe

Spring Grid Practice Slated at High School

Hamlin High School Pied Pipers will start spring football training April 13. Coaches Townsend and Hill expect about 50 boys out this year. It will last until May 8.

All of the boys are getting into good shape and eagerly await a chance to run in the district and regional meets against their own class. Hamlin and Colorado City are going to fight it out for the district championship April 11. Snyder High School has graciously consented to let the two teams hold our meet on their fine cinder track that day.—H. H. S. Pied Piper.

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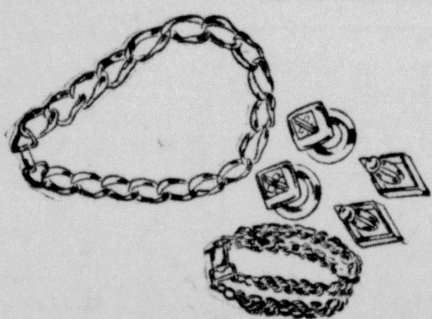
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Colored Choral Club To Sing Next Friday

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No admission will be charged for the program, but a free-will offering will be taken at the door, which proceeds will be used to help purchase robes for the musical group.

Friday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coley Johnson were Dr. Emmitt R. Johnson of Dallas, D. F. Johnson of Abilene and J. R. Craig of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Coley Johnson shopped in Abilene Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maberry and children spent the week-end at Lovington, New Mexico.

Mrs. Frank Allen, Don J. Annetta and Betsy Maberry spent the week-end on the Plains with Mr. Allen. He is farming near the town of Plains.

Young people of the McCauley Baptist Church hunted Easter eggs Monday evening.

Joe Forbes was a McCauley visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cook and Aletta visited at Fullerton and came back by Big Spring, visiting relatives, Saturday and Sunday.

Play presented last Friday evening by members of the junior class of McCauley High School was enjoyed by a large group at Mason gymnasium.

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Beef Roast Boneless Shoulder Cut U. S. Choice Heavy	Lb. 59¢	Round Steak U. S. Choice Heavy Beef	Lb. 69¢
Rib Roast Standing 7" Cut U. S. Choice Heavy Beef	Lb. 55¢	Ground Beef Freshly Ground You'll enjoy every bite!	Lb. 33¢
Sliced Bacon Poppy Fancy Northern Cured	1-lb. Pkg. 65¢	Cured Hams	
Sliced Bacon Capital Sugar Cured	1-lb. Pkg. 53¢	Arm Roast Shoulder Cut U. S. Choice Heavy Beef	Lb. 45¢
Arm Roast Shoulder Cut U. S. Choice Heavy Beef	Lb. 45¢	Sliced Ham All Center Slices	Lb. \$1.09
Pork Sausage Neeshoff's Smokies	1-lb. Pkg. 65¢	Pork Sausage Neeshoff's Smokies	1-lb. Pkg. 55¢
Smoked PICNICS	Lb. 39¢	Short Ribs or Beef Plates	Lb. 19¢
Frankfurters Sliced	Lb. 39¢	Large Bologna Sliced	Lb. 49¢

LaLani Pineapple 2 8-Oz. Cans	25¢
Cranberry Sauce Ocean Spray Std. or Whole	16-Oz. Can 15¢
Cling Peaches Del Monte or Libby's Slices or Halves	No. 2 1/2 Can 27¢
Tide Washing Powder—Lg. Box	25¢
Strawberries Scotch-Treat Frozen	10 1/2-Oz. Pkg. 19¢
Ice Cream Snow Star Vanilla Serve with Strawberries!	1/2-Gal. Pkg. 59¢
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Layer Cake Blaine's Coconut White Shop and save at Safeway	20-Oz. Cake 59¢

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Airway Freshly Roasted Mild, Mellow	3-lb. Pkg. \$2.29
Nob Hill Freshly Roasted Rich, Robust	1-lb. Pkg. 79¢
Nob Hill Freshly Roasted Rich, Robust	2-lb. Pkg. \$1.57
Edwards Top Quality Vacuum Pack	1-lb. Can 85¢
Edwards Top Quality Vacuum Pack	2-lb. Can \$1.67

Check these low prices

Jell-well Desserts Assorted Flavors	3-Oz. Pkg. 7¢
Kitchen Craft (with 25¢ coupon)	25-lb. Bag \$1.90
Yellow Meal Mommy Loy	5-lb. Bag 25¢
Soft Drinks Crispment Ass'd Flavors (Disp. Extra)	32-Oz. Can 10¢
Canterbury Tea Orange Pekoe	4-Oz. Pkg. 29¢
Sandwich Spread Lunch Box	16-Oz. Jar 35¢

Skylark Bread Sandwich or Reg. Slices 24-Oz. Loaf 22¢

Biscuits Pullen or Battered Ready to Cook 2 8-Oz. Cans 25¢

Margarine Dolemade Made in Texas 1-lb. Pkg. 21¢


Canned food buys

Bartlett Pears Highway	No. 2 1/2 29¢
Cranberry Sauce Skylark's	No. 300 Can 15¢
Tomato Juice Taste Talls	46-Oz. Can 25¢
Pork & Beans Taste Talls	3 No. 300 Cans 25¢
Banjo Hominy Old Fashion Type	No. 300 Can 5¢
Tomatoes Gardenmade Standard	2 No. 303 Cans 29¢
Potted Meat Lucerne	No. 1/4 Can 7¢
Tomato Catsup Taste Talls	2 12-Oz. Bots. 25¢

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Fine produce for Easter feasting...

and of course you'll want plenty of **GOOD EGGS!**



Fresh Eggs Local Current Receipt Doz. 39¢

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for the small fry
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We've a big assortment of melt-in-your-mouth candies—pure as the kind you'd make yourself.

Jelly Drops Spiced	7-Oz. Pkg. 15¢
Filled Mints Roxbury	6-Oz. Pkg. 15¢
Jelly Beans Assorted	1-lb. Pkg. 25¢
Easter Eggs Roxbury Candy	13-Oz. Pkg. 29¢
Jelly Bird Eggs Roxbury Candy	16-Oz. Pkg. 29¢

Finest dairy products

Sweet Milk Lucerne Hom. or Pasteurized	Qt. Can. 24¢
Sweet Milk Lucerne Hom. or Pasteurized	1/2-Gal. Can. 47¢
Lucerne Half & Half	Print Can. 28¢
Whipping Cream Lucerne	1/2-Pt. Can. 31¢
Cottage Cheese Blossom Time 12-Oz. Bag or Farmer Can.	21¢

Policies OF SAFeway STORES

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MEAT Quality

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Money-Back Guarantee

It is Company policy to sell all meat on a money-back guarantee. This means that, even though the customer has not cooked the meat properly or that she does not care for its taste or is dissatisfied for any reason, her money shall be refunded without question.

Handling

1. It is Company policy to have every store provided with proper equipment to assure correct care and protection for the meats sold in the store.

2. It is Company policy to not add any preservative or to use any substance which conceals any defect in the meat. Many chemical preservatives are injurious to health, and serious consequences are likely to result from their use. Employees violating this policy shall be discharged.

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FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom with living room attached.—T. J. Butler, phone 147. 21-2c

FOR RENT—Small furnished house. See J. O. Huling at Limit Cafe. 20-2p

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● Business Services

WOODWORK AND REPAIRS—Estimates gladly given; will pick up and deliver. See or call Robert L. Ferguson, 829 Southeast Avenue A, phone 955-J. 20-tfc

ASK for more particulars about the two-bedroom homes available soon. Priced at \$7,000, they can be financed through F. H. A. with down payment of only \$350 and closing charges. Call at our yard, 53 Southeast Third Street, and ask for more particulars, and pick your choice of plans.—Paul Bryan Lumber Company. 1c

● Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—Good house located on paved street; owner said sell at once; price \$3,250; \$150 will handle deal, balance at \$40 per month.

GOOD five-room house near high school; owner leaving town; price \$2,650.

NEW HOUSE located in the new addition; 1,020 square feet of floor space; a dandy one; price \$5,750. THREE-BEDROOM house; east front; close in; if you need a loan I can get it for you.

HAVE some choice farms for sale.—D. M. White, Real Estate Dealer, located in White-Plaza Hotel, Hamlin. 1c

THREE-BEDROOM home for as little as \$500 down; substantially built, superior location, flexible terms; low interest. See H. O. CASSELL & SON today. 1c

● Cards of Thanks

WORD OF APPRECIATION
We wish to take this opportunity to thank our loyal friends and customers for their many years of patronage to the Wilson Hardware Company, which has been closed due to the death of M. C. (Guy) Wilson.—Mrs. M. C. Wilson, Guy M. Wilson, Clydene Nelson, F. Y. Wilson. 1c

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BIG SOAP SPECIAL!
White Magic washes everything cleaner, whiter, and brighter
Save 20¢ on 2 Giant Pkgs. 78¢
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Luther Bryson Takes Overseas Army Course

Private First Class Luther W. Bryson, son of Mrs. Luke Bryson of Southwest Avenue B in Hamlin, has recently completed an on-the-job instruction course in the inspection and maintenance of small arms at U. S. Army training center at Bad Nauheim, Germany.

Young Bryson was commended by his unit commanding officer for the initiative, resourcefulness and mechanical ability displayed during the school, which was conducted by the 10th Ordnance Company. They were given letters by the ordnance unit that authorizes them to make inspections and perform first and second echelon repairs on small arms weapons.

According to Einstein, time is the fourth dimension.

The dahlia is named for the Swedish botanist Dahl.

Starr Inzer Reports Good Soil-Aid Crops

Starr Inzer, district cooper, who farms in the Hamlin area, reports his clover is coming up to a good stand, according to a release to The Herald from the office of the California Creek Soil Conservation District. He planted 15 acres of oats and clover mixture and planted 10 acres of clover and sand lovegrass. He is planting Madrid sweet clover, which will grow for two years without being replanted. Inzer plans to use the clover for soil improving and for grazing. Madrid clover contains 17 per cent protein and, planted with oats, makes an exceptionally well balanced grazing crop.

An old-timer is one who can remember when a baby-sitter was called mother.

Christmas cards were first used in the U. S. in 1874.

Rotary Club to Stage Ladies' Night At School April 30

Date for the annual Rotary-Arne night of the Hamlin Rotary Club was set for April 30 when the civic group met Wednesday in their noon luncheon meeting at the oil mill guest house. Committees to arrange for the affair, to be staged in the Primary School cafeteria, were announced by President Wesley Nail.

Claude Blankenship, Louie Mac Hardy, Dean Witt and Jake Lawson compose the arrangements committee; Carl Murrell, J. B. Terrell Jr. and Rev. Duane Bruce are on the program committee; J. C. Turner Jr., Weldon Johnson and Curtis Dodd will arrange the menu; and June Jones was named to handle publicity.

T. G. Blankenship, vocational agriculture instructor at Hamlin High School, gave reports on the recent shows in which Future Farmers of America participated in judging contests.

Larry Eickler, Hamlin High School senior, was presented as Junior Rotarian for the month of April.

John Ihrig of Sweetwater was a guest at the Wednesday luncheon.

Treated Seed May Control Insects on Growing Plants

Treatment of cotton and wheat planting seed that is destined to control insects during the growing and fruiting season of the plants will be given try-outs in the Hamlin area this year.

Several cotton and wheat farmers of the territory this week made arrangements to have their planting seed treated with Jones' Insektrol by J. R. Jones of Hinton, Oklahoma, who was here demonstrating a process which he has developed over a period of several years.

Jones spoke at weekly luncheon meeting of Hamlin Lions Club Tuesday noon at the oil mill guest house, where he declared demonstrations have proven the effectiveness of his process. He said that tests reveal that insects will leave alone plants that grow from seed treated with his chemicals.

Although the United States Department of Agriculture has not yet given final approval to Jones' process, the seedsmen declared that agency had found that the chemicals are not harmful to animals and humans consuming the products of the treated seed.

Among farmers who have already arranged for some of the treated cottonseed are Hollis Madden, Clyde Grice, Elmer Joiner, Bill Matchett and Watts Fletcher.

Baptist Churches of Area to Help in Egg Shower for Orphans

Baptist Churches of the Hamlin area are joining other churches of Texas in an egg shower for the nation's biggest orphans' home. Six hundred and twenty-five orphans in Dallas are looking for Easter eggs.

The eggs, however, will not be of the candy variety, and the children will not find them in some green, grassy field. The eggs they are looking for will feed them, they hope, for an entire year.

The idea of an annual egg shower for Buckner Orphans Home was first conceived in 1930 when Hal F. Buckner, son of Founder R. C. Buckner, was head of Buckner benevolence. It was in that year that the home first obtained a commissary and a cold storage so that eggs could be kept fresh for a long while.

The "egg shower" has now become an annual affair for members of the more than 3,400 churches in the Baptist General Convention of Texas. And from all over Texas farmers, housewives, poultrymen and others send in enough eggs to supply the home's egg needs for an entire year, according to Robert Cooke Buckner, superintendent.

Upon request, the home supplies the churches with crates for the amount of eggs they plan to send.

FFA Judging Teams To Compete at Tech

Three judging teams from the Hamlin High School chapter of Future Farmers of America will go to Lubbock April 25 to participate in Area IV competition between FFA teams of schools in the West Texas region, it was this week announced by T. C. Blankenship and Harold V. Eades, vocational agriculture instructors.

Teams in poultry, dairy cattle and livestock judging will take part.

Ten high teams at the area meet will go to the state contests at Texas A. & M. College some time in May, Blankenship said.

An Englishman suggests that Americans use the term OK more sparingly. OK.

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Evangelist Rev. Woodrow McHugh, pastor of the Wingate Baptist Church. Jerry Briscoe will have charge of the song service. We invite all to be with us in each service. REV. VIRGIL A. SMITH, Pastor

FFA Judging Teams Take First Place at Coleman

Members of the judging teams of the Future Farmers of America chapter in Hamlin High School took two first places in regional judging contests last week-end at Coleman. The livestock judging and poultry judging teams took high honors in the 30-team contests.

Hamlin FFA teams, coached by T. C. Blankenship and Harold V. Eades, scored 2,896 points out of a possible 3,600 points in the livestock judging event; and racked up a score of 947 points out of a possible 1,200 in the poultry judging.

Doyle Brinegar scored 340 points out of a possible 400 points in the poultry judging. It was the second consecutive year for the Hamlin entries to take the sweepstakes banner for the area contests.

Attending were Doyle Brinegar, Donal Johnson and Dennis Johnson, poultry team; Clifford Eoff, Dawl Johnson and Roy Server, livestock team.

Tommy Flenniken went as practice participant on dairy cattle judging. The dairy team could not enter the contests because T. C. Blankenship served as official judge in the event.

Teams were accompanied by H. V. Eades, Johnny Winston and T. C. Blankenship.

Student Council Group Attends State Session

Hamlin High School's Student Council was represented at Lubbock for the annual state convention by Atha Lea Grice, Janice Agnew, Don Crowley and Milton Butler.

Representatives from all sections of the state were present for the convention sessions. A program of entertainment and business featured leaders of the Texas Student Council Association.

High School Seniors Slate Trip April 26-28

Members of the Hamlin High School's senior class will make a three-day tour of interesting historical and beautiful spots of Central Texas on their annual trip which has been set for April 26, 27 and 28. They have made reservations at the Mission Guest House at New Braunfels. They will make that place their headquarters and while there will swim, horseback ride, dance, gold, ping-pong, badminton and do many other things.

The group will go by way of Austin and visit the state capital, the University of Texas and other interesting places. They will return by way of San Antonio.

An expert is a man who can tell the difference between an evening dress and a bathing suit.

Office Supplies at the Herold

Students from Schools Visit Pottery at Bangs

Arts and craft classes of Hamlin High School and 30 selected Junior High students traveled to Bangs recently to visit a pottery factory. They toured the Texan's Incorporated and watched the various processes that a piece of pottery goes through.

The students ate dinner at the Bangs High School cafeteria. After lunch volley ball games were enjoyed by all. They returned home in the afternoon.

The students were accompanied by Billie Jo Parrish, high school art teacher; Mrs. C. W. Griggs, Junior High School art teacher; and B. V. Newberry, high school principal.—H. H. S. Pied Piper.

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Sunday-Monday-Tuesday, April 5-6-7—

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"WHEN I GROW UP"

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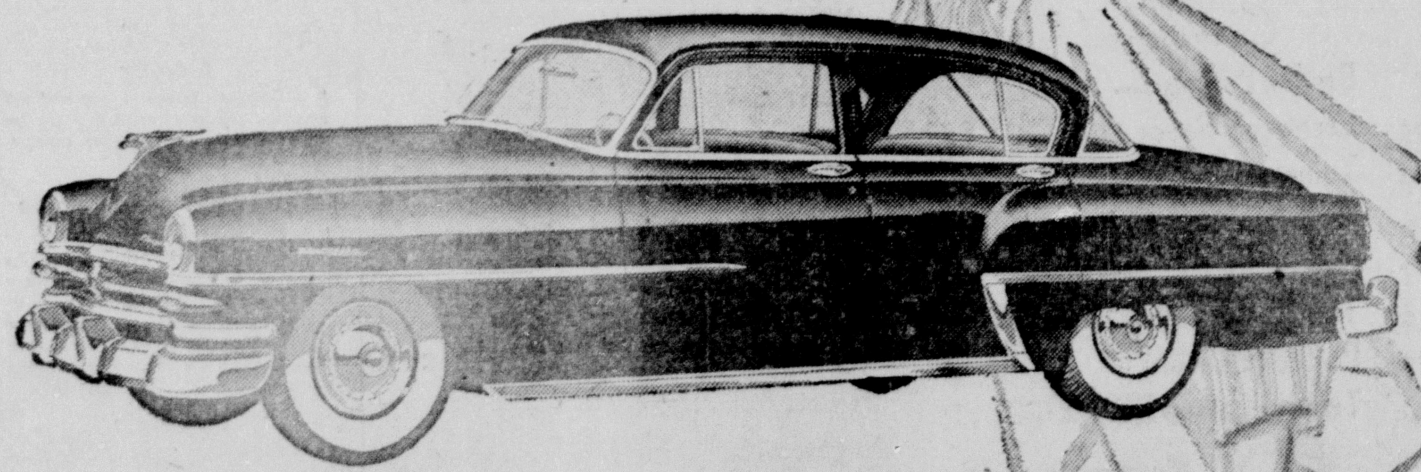
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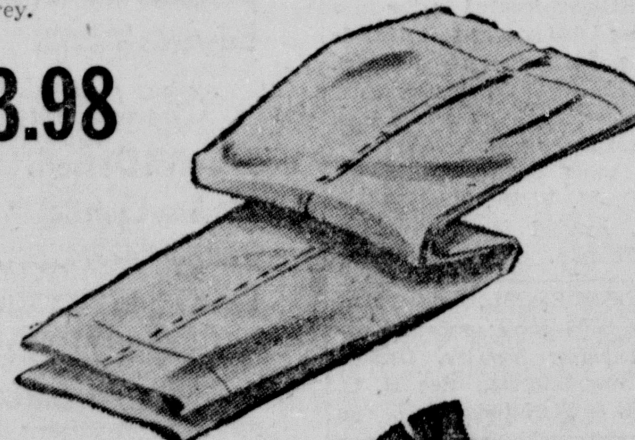
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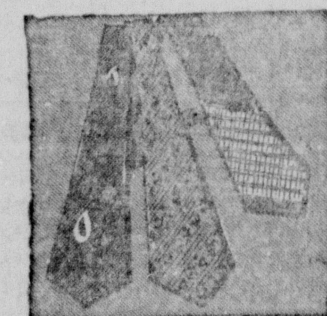
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